Chester Steven Skiba, Jr.

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NIAGARA FALLS — Chester Steven Skiba, Jr., born January 9, 1957 to Chester Steven and Helen Anne (Pierog) Skiba, passed away, suddenly, on Saturday, August 11, 2012, at the age of 55.

Chet graduated as Valedictorian from Trott Vocational High School in 1975, and worked for Townsend Auto Shop Supply following graduation. He currently worked at Joe Cecconi's Chrysler for the past 32 years.

"Chet," as he was known, was fond of darts and bowling, loved NHRA drag racing and was an avid Bills fan. He was always found spending Saturdays in the garage with his brother, Joseph, and spending time as "The Dog Father" with his own two dogs, Diamond and Lady. He was also known for his broad sense of humor and big heart. His family and friends will miss him dearly.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Elizabeth Skiba; step-daughter, Kyle-Lynn Esposito; son-in- law, Frank Esposito and his two grand-dogs, Baxter and Elsa; step-son, Adam Tuttle; brother, Joseph Skiba and sister-in-law, Louise Skiba, and Aunt Renetta Skiba. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his sisters, Mary Elizabeth and Cathryn, and Uncle Teddy.

Friends may call Thursday, August 16th from 3-7 PM at ZAJAC FUNERAL HOME INC., 319-24th St., cor. Welch Ave., Niagara Falls, NY, where memorial services will take place at 7 PM, with Rev. Jacek Mazur officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be sent to Divine Mercy Parish, 24th and Niagara St., or a charity of one's choice. Burial at the convenience of the family. Visit zajacuneralhomeinc.com for online condolences.

